



PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q67573

Tasuku HONJO, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/000,066

Group Art Unit: 1646

Confirmation No.: 3829

Examiner: Janet L. Andres

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For: POLYPEPTIDE, CDNA ENCODING THE SAME, AND USE OF THEM

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed May 6, 2003. The examiner set a three month period for the response. Attached hereto and herein incorporated by reference is a Petition for a three-month extension of time, making the due date for response November 6, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as shown on the following pages.